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SUBJECT: RHODESIA: JOINT US-UK APPROACH TO GOJ

REF: STATE 201259, TOKYO 12942

1. DEPARTMENT CONCURS WITH FOREIGN OFFICE SUGGESTION
THAT MEETING BE DESCRIBED AS GENERAL DISCUSSION OF
AFRICAN SITUATION, INCLUDING RHODESIA. (FROM OUR
POINT OF VIEW, WE HAVE NO OBJECTION IF FONOFF WISHES
TO CHARACTERIZE MEETING AS A BRIEFING ON RHODESIAN
INITIATIVE.)

2. GIVEN CLOSE ASSOCIATION BETWEEN JAPANESE PRESS
AND FONOFF WE FEEL THAT IT WOULD BE FOOLHARDY TO
ATTEMPT TO CONCEAL THE FACT THAT A MEETING WAS BEING
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HELD. NEVERTHELESS, YOU SHOULD STRESS TO THE GOJ
THAT SUBSTANCE OF APPROACH AND ESPECIALLY THE DOCUMENT
WHICH YOU WILL BE HANDING OVER MUST BE KEPT ABSOLUTELY
CONFIDENTIAL. IT WOULD BE EMBARRASSING AND DAMAGING TO
OUR INITIATIVE SHOULD THE DOCUMENT LEAK AND ITS SUB-
STANCE MADE PUBLIC BEFORE WE AND THE BRITISH HAVE THE
OPPORTUNITY TO PRESENT IT TO THE PRINCIPAL PARTIES OF

THE DISPUTE.

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